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Re: U.S. Utility Patent No. 7,701,978 B2; Issued: April 20, 2010  
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For: **Method and Apparatus for Maintaining Synchronization in a  
Communication System**  
Inventors: KOLZE *et al.*  
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Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Request for Certificate of Correction Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.322; and
2. Completed Form PTO/SB/44, with the noted corrections printed thereon.

The above-listed documents are filed electronically through EFS-Web. In the event that extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036..

Respectfully submitted,

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